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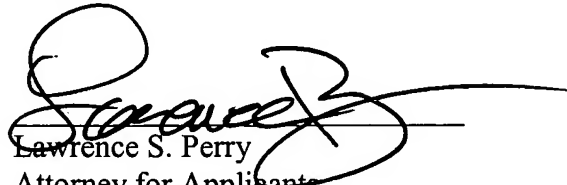
Sir:

Enclosed to complete the record and for the Examiner's convenience is Form PCT/IB/338, an English translation of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (Form PCT/IB/373) and a Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority (Form PCT/ISA/237) in the above-identified application. The references and family-member equivalents discussed in the Written Opinion were all cited in Applicants' October 11, 2005 Information Disclosure Statement.

Entry hereof is earnestly solicited.

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